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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)

Sebastian SUERBAUM et al.)

Application No.: 09/015,078)

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For: CLONING AND CHARACTERIZATION OF THE)
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Group Art Unit: 1647

Examiner: S. TURNER

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of April 19, 2003. A fee of \$840.00 is enclosed as the difference of the one month extension of time fee paid on September 22, 2003.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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